

REWARD OFFERED IN MCINTOSH CASE

NORWOOD PUTS UP \$5,000 FOR
CONVICTION OF ASSAILANT

Escape Apparently Made By Means of
Automobile Heard Near End of
Dogs' Trail.

The State.

Greenville, July 23.—J. W. Norwood, president of the Norwood National bank of this city, today announced that he would give a reward of \$5,000 for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who assailed Dr. J. H. McIntosh in Columbia early Tuesday morning.

Mr. Norwood in making this announcement states that his reward is in addition to any which have or may be offered. It was Mr. Norwood who had the altercation with the governor at the campaign meeting here Saturday.

At a late hour last night the man who shot Dr. James H. McIntosh early yesterday morning in front of the Woodrow Memorial chapel of the First Presbyterian church on Marion street had not been traced beyond the corner of Bull and Pendleton street, at which point the dogs from the penitentiary lost his scent. Here, it is believed, the assailant entered a waiting automobile and was whisked away in the darkness.

Mrs. C. Y. Reamer, whose home, 1507 Pendleton street, is just two doors from the corner of Bull and Pendleton, said yesterday that she happened to be awake at the time of the shooting. A few minutes before she heard the first shot, Mrs. Reamer said, a machine drew up at the corner. The engine continued to run, she said, making considerable noise as if in bad condition. A man laughed. This was the only voice she heard, she said. Then she heard the shot. A few more minutes passed; and the machine left the corner just before the city hall clock struck 2 o'clock.

A dispatch from Greenville said that J. W. Norwood, president of the Norwood National bank of that city, the man who engaged in a verbal clash with the governor at the campaign meeting there last week, had offered a reward of \$5,000 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons guilty of the attack upon Dr. McIntosh. Joseph Norwood, president of the Union National bank of Columbia, yesterday offered \$10 as the nucleus of a sum to be subscribed and offered as a reward for the capture of the guilty party or parties.

Wound Not Serious.

The surgeon attending Dr. McIntosh said yesterday that he did not consider the wound serious. According to the surgeon Dr. McIntosh will be able to leave the infirmary in a day or so. The pistol ball, fired at close range, entered the doctor's right side just below the ribs, furrowed through the abdominal wall for about seven inches and came out.

It was said at the hospital yesterday that the injured man was resting well. He slept yesterday afternoon. He will probably receive the newspaper men today, it was said, and make a statement.

W. C. Cathcart, chief of the police department had a brief talk with Dr. McIntosh during the morning. The latter could give little or no additional information, it was learned, as to who the man was that made the attack. Dr. McIntosh had already described his assailant as a man of small physique, weighing about 125 pounds, wearing a cloth cap and dark shirt, and evidently wearing soft soled or rubber heeled shoes inasmuch as he made no noise when he ran.

No Clue As Yet.

A train leaves the union station for Charleston at 3 a. m. Chief Cathcart does not think that the fleeing assailant boarded this train. The chief says that his men were at work on the case, however, though there was no clue to follow as yet.

Alex Heise, deputy sheriff, said yesterday that the sheriff's office had not been notified of the shooting. Sheriff McCain was in Charleston yesterday. He is expected to return today. The deputy sheriff said that there was nothing that could be done until more information could be obtained.

Dr. Robert A. Lancaster and J. R. Shepherd, who with B. F. Auman, were the first to reach Dr. McIntosh after the shooting, said yesterday that there was nothing material that they could add to the story in The State yesterday morning. Mr. Shepherd and Mr. Auman have rooms at the home of Dr. Lancaster, 1328 Lady street, which is opposite the scene of the shooting. The three men were awakened by the first shot fired. They waited and in a few moments four or five shots were fired in rapid suc-

cession. They could see the flashes in the dark. Then came the cry for help. Up to this time the three men had hesitated. When the cry came or help, however, Dr. Lancaster said that he could wait no longer and the three men, with trousers slipped on over nightclothes and in bedroom slippers, started in the direction of the cry, which seemed to grow weaker. When the three men reached the front porch of Dr. Lancaster's home the last shot was fired.

Running across the street Dr. Lancaster called out:

"What is it? Who are you?"

"Dr. McIntosh," came the reply. "No, Dr. Lancaster," said Dr. Lancaster who for the moment thought that he had been mistaken for Dr. McIntosh.

"This is Dr. McIntosh," came from the wounded man, who was lying on the ground.

"Why, doctor! What does this mean?" asked Dr. Lancaster, running up.

Some time before the shooting Dr. McIntosh happened to be passing the First Presbyterian churchyard and discovered a man lying on the ground in the shadows. The man was drunk. Dr. McIntosh took the unfortunate man home and was returning along Marion street when, just as he came within the glare of the arc light in front of the Woodrow Memorial chapel, a man darted out from behind a tree and ordered "hands up!"

Man Shot Once.

For the moment Dr. McIntosh, as he told those who came to his assistance, threw up his hands. But as quickly he came down with them and grabbed the pistol of his assailant and struggled with him. It was then that the assailant fired, the only shot he did fire, and the one which wounded Dr. McIntosh. Dr. McIntosh fell. His assailant ran and was leaping over the wall of the churchyard when the physician fired twice at him, and three times immediately after to attract attention. The doctor called for help and fired once more. As the assailant was going over the wall, Dr. McIntosh heard him call back: "Now you won't bother Collie tomorrow," or "Now Collie won't be bothered with you tomorrow."

A policeman who had heard the shots reached the scene shortly after Dr. Lancaster, Mr. Shepherd and Mr. Auman. There is no beat which would take a policeman near the scene of the shooting at that time of night, according to Chief Cathcart. Other persons who had heard the shots came up.

Dr. Lancaster went to his office, 1215 Marion street, and telephoned police headquarters. He was informed that the patrol was on its way. Some one had already given the alarm. He called a surgeon, then got his automobile, intending to drive Dr. McIntosh to the infirmary. The police patrol in the meantime took the wounded man to the hospital. Dr. Lancaster met Mrs. McIntosh, who heard the shooting and drove her to the hospital. Dr. James McIntosh, father of the wounded man, joined them.

Take Up Trail.

When J. C. Robbins, who had been notified, arrived from the penitentiary with his bloodhounds, the animals had no difficulty in catching the scent. The assailant had leaped the church yard fence, ran across the yard, leaped the fence again into Bull street, whence he sped south three blocks to the corner of Pendleton street where the trail stopped abruptly, and it is thought he entered the waiting auto.

REFUTE RUMORS

ABOUT MCINTOSH

Physicians Tell of Fellow Doctor's Wound—More Reward Offered.

The State, 25th.

Taking notice of rumors apparently circulated throughout South Carolina, Columbia physicians associated with the case of James H. McIntosh, who was shot by an unknown man early Thursday, yesterday issued statements declaring that the doctor was shot and wounded, as described in the newspapers.

Dr. George Bunch, physician in charge of the case, said that he had instructed Dr. McIntosh not to undergo mental exertion of making a statement to the newspapers, but that Dr. McIntosh would today at noon tell of the attack upon him by the unknown man.

At a called meeting of the Columbia Medical society yesterday the following resolution was adopted: "We, the members of the Columbia Medical society, express our deepest sympathy for our honored fellow member, Dr. James H. McIntosh, and as law-abiding citizens we deplore the cowardly assault upon him. We cheerfully offer \$500 as a reward for the

apprehension and conviction of the assailant."

The resolution was given out by Dr. Edythe Welbourne, secretary of the medical society. A total of \$5,510 has been offered for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties guilty of the attack upon Dr. McIntosh.

The following statements were issued yesterday by the physicians and nurses in connection with the McIntosh case:

Statements by Physicians.

"This is to certify that about 2 a. m. last Thursday morning, July 23, I was called to the Knowlton hospital to operate upon Dr. James H. McIntosh of Columbia, for a wound of the abdomen. I immediately called Dr. S. E. Harmon, also of Columbia, to assist me at the operation. When I arrived at the hospital, I found Dr. McIntosh in bed and examined him. I found he has a pistol wound of the abdomen and advised immediate exploratory operation. As soon as the necessary preparations could be made Dr. McIntosh was placed upon the operating table and the anesthetic was administered by Dr. Edythe Welbourne, of Columbia. The wound of entrance was on the right side of the abdomen, just below the margin of the ribs, and was surrounded by a powder burn of considerable extent. The wound of exit was about six inches from the wound of entrance, and about on the same level with it. In incision I found that the peritoneum had not been penetrated by the bullet. Dr. McIntosh has been instructed by me not to undergo the mental exertion of making a statement to the newspapers.

"George W. Bunch,
"Physician in Charge."

"July 24, 1914."

"I of my own personal knowledge know that the facts stated in the above statement are correct.

"Samuel E. Harmon, M. D."

"I certify that I was present at the operation upon Dr. J. H. McIntosh and administered the anesthetic.

"E. Welbourne, M. D."

"I certify that I was present at the operation upon Dr. James H. McIntosh and I have read the statement of Drs. Bunch and Harmon and can affirm that the same is correct.

"William Weston, M. D.
"R. G. Blackburn, M. D."

"This is to certify that I am the nurse on the case of Dr. James H. McIntosh and that he was shot.

"Bertie E. May."

"Mary B. Turpin, R. M. Supt."
Condition is Good.

At the hospital yesterday it was said that Dr. McIntosh had spent a restful day and that his condition was steadily improving.

The officers yesterday continued to search for the unknown man who shot Dr. McIntosh, early Thursday morning, and who, it is thought, made his escape by automobile.

The McIntosh case was generally discussed yesterday in Columbia and throughout the State. One report was that Dr. McIntosh had shot himself. Other reports were circulated that the physician had not been wounded. From Barnwell came the following telegram to The State from the Barnwell People, one of the weekly papers of that place: "There is a report current here circulated by traveling salesman from Columbia that McIntosh's nurse claims he was not shot. Another rumor says he shot himself. Please confirm or deny."

FOR THE INSTIGATOR

J. W. Norwood Explains Terms of Reward Offered For the Capture of Dr. McIntosh's Assailant.

The State, 26th.

J. W. Norwood, of Greenville, president of the Norwood National bank of that city, has advised The State that his offer of a reward of \$5,000 was for "the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons who instigated" the "attempted assassination of Dr. McIntosh" and not for the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons who attempted the deed.

It was announced that Mr. Norwood offered the reward for the arrest and conviction of the assailant or assailants. He asks that this be corrected.

Following is the statement that was issued by Mr. Norwood:

"I personally offer a reward of \$5,000 for evidence resulting in the conviction of the person or persons who instigated the attempted assassination of Dr. James H. McIntosh, of Columbia. I offer this in addition to any other reward which may be offered by any person or group of persons.

J. W. Norwood."

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The Rural Improvement association of Hunter-DeWalt school of Jolly Street district will give a first class barbecue at the new school house for the benefit of the school July 28, campaign day.

Bolnest Werts,
President.

On Wednesday, July 22, I will give a first class barbecue at my residence at Werber place, one-half mile from Old Town. Special attention to ladies and children. Plenty of amusement for both old and young. Remember the date and place.

L. Clarence Pitts.

I will give a first class barbecue Friday, July 17, at the cool spring near my residence also near St. Phillips church. The public is cordially invited. The jolly candidates are also invited. Everybody come and enjoy the day.

D. E. Halfacre.

We will serve a first class barbecue at Pomaria Park Friday, July 24. There will be speaking in the forenoon and baseball in the afternoon. Everybody invited.

Walter Richardson.

The school improvement association will give a first class barbecue at Pomaria campaign day, August 11th, for the benefit of the school.

Mrs. Jno. C. Aull,
President.

I will give a first class barbecue at my residence, near the mill on Broad river, on Saturday, July 18. In addition to the barbecue there will be boat racing and other features.

B. M. Suber.

I will give a first class barbecue August 12, State campaign day.

J. M. Counts.

We will serve a barbecue at Half-acre's mill on campaign day, July 29. Everybody invited. Special arrangements will be made for candidates and young people.

C. L. Ruff,
C. H. Sligh.

We will give a first class barbecue at Silverstreet county campaign day, August 18, 1914.

J. M. Nichols,
W. H. Nichols.

We will give a first class barbecue at the residence of Col. D. A. Ruff on Tuesday, August 21. There will be dancing for the young people. The dinner will be cooked by Mr. Luke Sease and a good dinner may be expected.

D. B. Ruff,
F. A. Gallman.

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Darlington—Saturday, August 8.
Bishopville—Monday, August 10.
Florence—Tuesday, August 11.
Dillon—Wednesday, August 12.
Marion—Thursday, August 13.
Conway—Friday, August 14.
Kingstree—Saturday, August 15.
Georgetown—Monday, August 17.
Monck's Corner—Tuesday, August 18.
Manning—Wednesday, August 19.
Sumter—Thursday, August 20.

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Following is the campaign itinerary:
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Orangeburg—Wednesday, July 29.
St. Matthews—Thursday, July 30.
Winnaboro—Monday, August 3.
Chester—Tuesday, August 4.
Lancaster—Wednesday, August 5.
Yorkville—Thursday, August 6.
Gaffney—Friday, August 7.
Spartanburg—Saturday, August 8.
Union—Tuesday, August 11.
Newberry—Wednesday, August 12.

ATTENTION CANDIDATES.
Candidates for office in Newberry county will find pledges and blanks for expense account at the office of the secretary, corner Boyce and College street, Newberry. All pledges must be filed and assessments paid not later than noon, Standard time, Monday, July 27, 1914.
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